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☞Fire-proof Safe in the House.☜
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T. SMITH,

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has re-opened the well known

Boomerang Inn,
LANGLEY ALLEY.

The Boomerang Inn has been thoroughly refurnished and fitted up at a great expense by Mr. Smith, and he hopes that by strict attention to business, and his utmost endeavors to accommodate the public, he may merit a continuance of that patronage which was always accorded his predecessor.

THE BEST QUALITY OF
WINES & LIQUORS,
AND THE
Finest Brands of CIGARS,
Will always be on hand at the BAR. de10

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LATE BAILEY'S, LATE EBERHARDT'S
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance f the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
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Board and Lodging per week	**$6 00**
Board	**5 00**
Day's Board	**1 00**
Single Meals	**37½**
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Apartments will be let by the Day, Week or Month.
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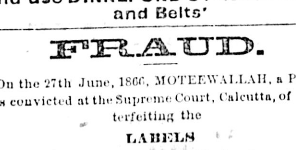

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FRAUD.

On the 27th June, 1866, MOTEEWALLAH, a Printer was convicted at the Supreme Court, Calcutta, of counterfeiting the

LABELS

of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELL, London, and was sentenced by Mr. Justice Phear to

TWO YEARS RIGOROUS IMPRISONMENT!

And on the 30th of the same month, for

SELLING SPURIOUS ARTICLES

bearing Labels in imitation of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S, SHAIK BACHOO was sentenced, by the Suburban Magistrate at Scaldah, to

TWO YEARS RIGOROUS IMPRISONMENT.

CAUTION.—Anyone SELLING SPURIOUS OILMEN STORES, under Crosse & Blackwell's name will be liable to the same punishment, and will be vigorously prosecuted. Purchasers are requested to examine all goods carefully before taking delivery of them. The GENUINE manufactures of Messrs Crosse & Blackwel may be had from EVERY RESPECTABLE DEALER on uncouver Island. my6 1y

Lemons,
Eggs,
Butter.
Large Assortment Dried Fruit.

For sale VERY LOW by
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THE SCHR FAVORITE, 130 TONS BURthen, coppered and copper-fastened and ready for sea. For further particulars, apply to
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NOTICE.

CHRISTMAS DAY FALLING UPON WEDnesday the Steamer ENTERPRISE will not leave for New Westminster until **Friday, Dec. 27th,** at 7:30 a.m., instead of on Wednesday the 25th. de11

Steamer Enterprise—Winter Arrangement.

DURING THE WINTER MONTHS THE Enterprise will leave the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf on **Wednesdays at 7:30 a.m.,** and will leave New Westminster on **Thursdays at 7:30 a.m.** de11

FOR THE EAST COAST.

THE STEAMER
MAUDE,
CAPTAIN........................HOLMES

Will sail from H. B. Co's wharf every SATURDAY MORNING at 7 o'clock for the above ports.
Returning:—Will sail from Nanaimo at 7 o'clock every Tuesday morning.
☞Carrying Freight and Passengers.☜
For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board
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STEAM PACKET CO'Y

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THE AGENTS ARE PREPARED TO REceive and forward packages and merchandise to Southampton and London at "THROUGH" freights, which include all transhipping charges at San Francisco and Panama.
For further particulars apply to
SPROAT & CO.,
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WHARF STREET,
19th November, 1872. no20

"SPARROWHAWK"

NEITHER THE OWNERS NOR UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted on behalf of the "Sparrowhawk" without their authority. SPROAT & CO.,
Agents for Owners.
Wharf street, Dec. 24, 1872. de25

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

STEAMSHIP
Prince Alfred,
CAPTAIN F. C. SHOLL.

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on the **12th and 27th** of each month
For Passage or Freight apply to
BRODRICK & CO., Agents,
de24 Wharf Street.

Department of Marine and Fisheries

THE SUBJOINED NOTICE IS HEREWITH published for general information.
JAMES COOPER, Agent.
VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 2nd, 1872.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

[No. 82.]

United States.—Pacific Coast.—Territory of Washington.

FOG SIGNAL at CAPE FLATTERY LIGHTHOUSE.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT has given Notice, that a Steam Fog Whistle has been established at Cape Flattery Lighthouse, on Tatouch Island, entrance of Juan de Fuca Strait. On and after the 1st day of November, 1872, during thick and foggy weather, it will be sounded at intervals Fifty-Two Seconds; each blast being of Eight Seconds duration.
By Command of their Lordships,
GEO. HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 23rd Sept., 1872. de3 1m

C. STROUSS & CO.

HAVE RECEIVED EX IDAHO,

Canadian
BOOTS AND SHOES,

Consisting of

Men's Brogans;
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A full assortment from the best manufacturers in Canada.

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of Frankfort-on-the-Main,

CLOTHING and PIECE GOODS,
Superior to any Goods of the kind ever imported here.

WHARF STREET, Dec. 11, 1872. de11

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P. CRANOELLI,

Has the best brands of

English & French Wines and Liquors.

The Bar is supplied with the best **Hudson Bay Co. Rum,** by the glass or bottle. A splendid assortment of GROCERIES for the Holidays.
Just received, ex late arrivals, a fine stock of

FRESH and DRIED FRUITS,

Which will be sold CHEAP.
☞Goods delivered in any part of the town free of charge. de11

New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY
At the
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MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. au

For Sale—To Let.

TO BE LET.

HANDSOME, WELL-LIGHTED OFFICES on the second flat of the BRITISH COLONIST BUILDING. Apply to
no17 D. W. HIGGINS, on the premises.

FOR SALE.

THE HANDSOME AND COMMODIOUS Cottage Residence recently built at the corner of Moss street and Fort street, with good bricked well, fencing and gates complete. For particulars apply to
ROBERT BURNABY,
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COLQUITZ FARM, CONTAINING 300 ACRES, situate in Victoria District, with dwelling-house and all convenient farm buildings, to be let for a term of years. Possession in April. Apply to
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AT LOW RATES ON FIRST-CLASS SECUrity;

Houses to Let;

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T. ALLSOP & CO.,
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Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,
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WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENT to selling, purchasing and leasing property; negotiating loans and transacting everything connec with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land n every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. 1714

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London Journal Illustrated.—Original and Deeply interesting Domestic Novels by the first Authors.

London Journal—Every month—Copyright Colored Fashion-plate, designed expressly by renowned Continental Astists.

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CELEBRATED OILMEN'S STORES

ALL OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.

PICKLES, SAUCES, SYRUPS.
JAMS, IN TINS AND JARS.
ORANGE MARMALADE.
TART FRUITS, DESSERT FRUITS.
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FRUITS IN BRANDY AND NOYEAU.
POTTED MEATS AND FISH.
FRESH SALMON, OYSTERS AND HERRINGS.
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FRESH AND FINDON HADDOCKS.
PURE SALAD OIL.
SOUPS, IN PINT AND QUART TINS.
PRESERVED MEATS, IN TINS.
PEAS, CARROTS, BEANS, AND OTHER VEGETABLES.
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TONGUES, GAME, POULTRY.
PLUM PUDDINGS.
LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

r sh supplies of the above and numerous other table elicacies may always be had from every Storekeeper

CAUTION.

To prevent the fraud of refilling the bottles or jars with native productions, they should invariably be destroyed when empty.
Goods should always be examined upon delivery, to detect any attempt at substitution of articles of inferior brands.
very cork is branded with Crosse & Blackwell's nam

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PURVEYORS TO THE QUEEN,
Soho Square, London,

At the Paris Exhibition of 1867, THREE Prize Medals were awarded to Crosse & Blackwell, for the marked superiority of their productions.

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POCKET DIARIES
AND
OFFICE JOURNALS,
IN GREAT VARIETY OF STYLES,
For 1873.
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Notices.

Teacher Wanted.

APPLICATIONS ACCOMPANIED BY CERtificate of Qualification and good moral character, will be received at the Education Office, Government street, up to Monday the 6th of January next for the situation of Teacher in a Mainland District. Salary, $60 per month. By order of the Board.
JOHN JESSOP,
Supt. of Education.
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STRAYED,

FROM STRAWBERRY VALE FARM TWO HEIFERS and ONE COW the following description:
Cow with Bell—Coffee brown with white back and belly; dark brown head with a little white spot; both ears cut and split; old brand AO on the left backside.
Heifer with Bell—All red, no white, both ears cut and split. Old brand JC on the right shoulder.
Heifer—Color red with white belly and white hind feet; a big white star on the forehead; both ears cut and split; old brand JC on the left backside.
New brand of all three, JK.
Any person giving information of the whereabouts of those cattle will receive $20 Reward.
JOHN KRIEMLER,
de4 dw Cormorant street.

THE NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THIS SOCIETY ESTABLISHED MAY 14th, 1872, for mutual benefit of Farmers in the interior this Province, has for its object the advancement of Agricultural Interests, introduction of all modern machinery, seeds, &c. &c.
Those desirous of joining the already numerous list will please communicate with
F. W. FOSTER, Hon Sec.
Clinton, June 3rd, 1872. Clinton.
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Municipal Notice.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF The Victoria Footpath Bylaw, 1869, and the Amendment Victoria Footpath Bylaw, 1871, Sealed Tenders will be received at the Clerk's Office, Broad street, until Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 4 o'clock p.m., for the construction of a new 6-foot Sidewalk fronting lots Nos. 256 and 257 abutting on Kane street.
ALSO—For laying a new Sidewalk 3 feet wide, fronting Sub'n No. 5 of 5-acre lot No. H, at corner of Chatham and Quadra streets.
ALSO—For laying a new Sidewalk fronting a portion of lot No. 61 on Blanchard and View streets, the same width as the adjoining sidewalk.
WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
Council Chambers, Dec. 12, 1872. de13

LEA & PERRINS'

CELEBRATED
Worcestershire Sauce.
DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS
TO BE
THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE.

CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.

The success of this most delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to

ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE

and to see that their names are upon the wrapper, label stopper and bottle.
Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire sauce, upon he wrapper and labels of which the name of Lea & Perrins have been forged. L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.

Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce, and see Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle and Stopper.

Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse & Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.
To be obtained of Messrs Janion, Rhodes & Co.
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FOR DYSENTERY, CHOLERA, AGUE, COUG COLDS, &c.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
(Ex Army Med Staff)

CHLORODYNE.

IS THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION—Vice-Chancellor Sir W P Wood stated that Dr. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE: that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr J Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne: that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr Browne's—See TIMES, July 12, 1864.
The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

DR J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.
REMEDIAL USES AND ACTION.

This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, refreshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system, restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—
Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma, Cramp Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, &c.

EXTRACTS FROM MEDICAL OPINIONS.

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.
From A Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months' severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed.
Dr Lowe, Medical Missionary in India reports [Dec 1865] that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr Collis Brownes' Chlorodyne was administered the patient recovered.
Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1866—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedical practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.
Extract from the general Board of Health, London, as to its efficacy in Cholera.—So strongly are we convinced of the immense value of this remedy that we cannot too forcibly urge the necessity of adopting it in all cases.
Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold as CHLORODYNE from which frequen tfatal results have followed.
See leading article, Pharmaceutical Journal, Aug 1, 1869, which states that Dr J. Collis Browne was the inventor of Chlorodyne: that it is always right to use his preparation when Chlorodyne is ordered.
CAUTION—None genuine without the words "Dr J Collis Browne" on the Government stamp. Overwhelming medical testimony accompanies each bottle
Sole Manufacturer, J T DAVENPORT,
GREAT RUSSELL STREET, BLOOMSBURY, LONDON.

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GAME, POULTRY, FISH

And all kinds of FRUIT in their Season.

Washington Market,

Washington street, between Second and Third,

PORTLAND, Oregon

☞Consignments respectfully solicited and return promptly made. de6

Notices.

NOTICE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 2d Aug., 1872.

Extract from Rules relative to Private Bills.

50. All applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of "The British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the right or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows, viz:—
A notice inserted in the British Columbia Gazette, and in one newspaper published in the district affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.
☞Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the petition.
51. Before any Petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed in the preceding Rule, also at the same time, and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts or vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.
CHARLES GOOD,
se4dw Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

DOMINION GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT under authority of Act 34 Vict., chap. 6, of the Parliament of Canada, Dominion Government Savings Banks will be opened on the 2nd December next at the undermentioned places in the Province of British Columbia and in charge of the following officers;
JOHN GRAHAM, ESQ., Assistant Receiver General, Manager at Head Office, Victoria;
F. G. CLAUDET, ESQ., Acting Agent of Branch at New Westminster;
JAS. HARVEY, ESQ., Acting Agent of Branch at Nanaimo
Until further notice Deposits will be received at the abovementioned Savings Banks in sums of not less than One Dollar and multiples of a dollar. All Deposits will bear interest from date of deposit to date of withdrawal at the rate of Five per cent. per annum, the interest accrued to 30th June being added to principal on that date every year.
Moneys can be withdrawn, without notice, to the extent of $100, but for any sum in excess of that amount seven days' notice must be given by Depositors.
As all Savings Banks established under the Colonial Ordinances will be closed on the 30th November next, it has been arranged that the cheques of the Provincial Treasurer in liquidation of Colonial Savings Bank liabilities shall be received in the Dominion Savings Banks and bear interest from that date if deposited before the 1st January next. By order,
THOMAS D. TIMS,
Financial Inspector.
FINANCE DEPART'T OF CANADA, Victoria, 18th October, 1872 oc19 tjal&w

"The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages' Act, 1872."

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that from and after the First day of September next, all Births, Deaths and Marriages within the Province of British Columbia are to be Registered under the Provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872," at the office of the District Registrar of the district wherein the same respectively shall take place, and within the times following, that is to say;
BIRTHS—Within 60 days from the date thereof.
DEATHS—Within 30 days after interment.
MARRIAGES—Within 90 days from the date thereof.
Every Householder, Head of a Family, Clergyman, Physician, or other person or persons, required by the said Act to report Births, Deaths and Marriages, who refuses, or wilfully neglects to do so within the times named, will be liable to a penalty for each and every offence of not less than Five Dollars or more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered with costs before any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the locality where any such offence is committed against the said Act. By Command,
H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, 27th Aug, 1872. au28

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Victoria City, to Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of Victoria City that in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the 24th day of December, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, I require the presence of the said Electors at the Police Barracks, Victoria, on the 6th day of January next, at 12 o'clock, noon; for the purpose of Electing one person to represent them in the Legislature of this Province; and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on the 7th day of January, at the Police Barracks, Victoria, at 8 o'clock a. m. and close at 4 o'clock p. m. the same day, all of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.
Given under my hand at Victoria, the 26th day of December, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.
A. F. PEMBERTON,
de27 Returning Officer.

City of Victoria School District.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTIONS 11 AND 27 of "The Public School Act, 1872," notice is hereby given that the annual meeting for the Election of School Trustees for the City of Victoria School District will be held at the City Council Chambers, Broad street, on Wednesday, January the 8th proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon, at which meeting any male Householder or Freeholder resident in the said District will be entitled to vote.
Per order of the Board of Trustees,
WM. LEIGH, Secretary.
City Council Chambers, Dec. 25, 1872. de27

NOTICE.

French Benevolent Society.

DR. POWELL HAVING RESIGNED AS Physician of the French Benevolent Society, members are informed that DR. ASH has been appointed his successor, and may be found at his residence, Fort street, from 9 to 12 a.m., and from 7 to 9 p.m. for free consultation. By order of the Committee,
de10 M. CAMSUSA, Secretary.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AFTER this date Patients will only be admitted to the Victoria Hospital on the Certificate of one of Medical Attendants of the institution, countersigned bs two of the Visiting Committee.
de15 E. CRIDGE, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF THE HASTINGS SAW Mill Company and of Dickson, Campbell & Company, will be conducted in future by J. A. RAYMUR; or in his absence by EDMUND HURD, at Messrs Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s Wharf, Store street, Victoria.
J. A. RAYMUR, Agent.
Nov. 26th, 1872. no27

Nutmegs.

JUST RECEIVED EX IDAHO—
BATAVIA NUTMEGS—Warranted not Wooden
For sale by J. RUEFF,
de17 Wharf street.

Boots and Shoes.

VICTORIA
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY

GOVERNMENT STREET, next to the Postoffice.

W. HEATHORN,

NOT BEING AN EXHIBITOR AT THE late Fair [from press of business], but feeling perfectly safe in the hands of a discriminating public, who have adjudged his manufactures First Prize, returns thanks for the liberal encouragement he has received and would inform his customers that he is constantly improving in the Style and Quality of his manufactures, having just received from England one of **Pearson's Celebrated Lock Stitch Wax Thread Sewing Machines,** being the only one in the Province.
☞Boots and Shoes made to measure. Leather and Findings for Sale. oc18

SWITZER & CO.,

Tanners and Curriers,
MANUFACTURERS OF

BOOTS, SHOES AND MILLBELTING.

BELMONT, Esquimalt District.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.—Agents at Victoria

WE HAVE COMMISSIONED MESSRS WM DALBY & CO. to purchase Hides and Skin on our account.
de10 1m SWITZER & CO.

R. MAYNARD,

Occidental Buildings, Fort Street.

Just Received Per PACIFIC,

SHOE LEATHER & FINDINGS

IN GREAT VARIETY,

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☞Cash Paid for Hides. de30

NUTS TO CRACK!
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Sell only such as have been grown in 1872

Brazil Nuts	1872
Hazel & Barcelona Nuts	1872
Almonds	1872
Walnuts	1872
Peanuts	1872
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New Fruits!

FELL & CO. have received the first parcel of the finest TURKEY FIGS, 1872.
ALSO—New Sultana Raisins.

FELL & CO.

Have one of the best assorted stocks of Fruit, including the nicest

LAYER MUSCATEL RAISINS,

(Not in small boxes, as those are generally of inferior quality.
Currants—The BEST on the Coast.
Elme Raisins—The BEST for Mince Pies and sold CHEAP,

Fancy Bon Bons!

In great variety, consisting of Masquerades, Fans, Scents, Mottoes, &c.

Confectionary!

Of the purest description—guaranteed free from any mixture of plaster of Paris, which is generally found in cheap candy.
Orange, Lemon and Vanilla Creams,
Sold ONLY by us and a great delicacy. Also, JELLIES in great variety.

FELL & CO.

Have always on hand the best assortment of **CHEESE**—such as will suit the taste of the most fastidious.
SPICES of every description ground and prepared by ourselves and warranted pure.
And last, but not least,

FELL'S CELEBRATED
COFFEE

Which is drank by every one in the Province who knows anything about a good cup of that beverage. Beware of would-be IMITATORS, who, not satisfied with imitating our packages, even **Copy our Advertisements!**
Come along with your CASH! and you will find that FELL & CO. are not undersold by any establishment in this city, and that they deliver all goods bought of them at your houses free of charge.

FORT STREET,
Victoria, Dec. 4th, 1872. de5

FREDERICK REYNOLDS,

FAMILY
BUTCHER,

holesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch
☞Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.☜
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HENRY SHORT,
GUN AND RIFLE MAKER,

HAS RECEIVED PER EXPRESS FROM London,

Double and Single Barreled Fowling Pieces;
Breech and Muzzleloading Rifles;
Henry's Rifles;
Colt's, Smith & Wesson's, Sharp's Repeater, Ballard's Dorringer and other Pistols always on hand.
Apparatus for Loading and Recapping Central Fire and Pin Breechloaders.
Cartridge Cases and Caps for ditto.
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METALLIC CARTRIDGES for Henry's, Smith & Wesson's, Ballard's, Spencer's and other Rifles.

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Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 5TH, 1873

L. F. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorized Agent n San Francisco.

The Atlantic Terminus.

Now that the Canada Pacific Railway has emerged from Utopia, the public mind naturally turns to the details of a scheme no longer doubtful. Inasmuch as it must compete with American lines, the question of terminus on both oceans becomes a matter of very great importance. Here, on the Pacific, the question is considered pretty well settled. There seems to be little doubt that Esquimalt will become the terminus on the Pacific, thus giving our road a marked advantage over its immediate rival. The question of an Atlantic terminus may be regarded as still open. It will be admitted that, for some years to come, Halifax will be regarded as the terminus; but the advantage of reaching by rail a point still nearer to the British Isles and thereby shortening the inevitable sea-voyage as much as possible, is so great as to induce the belief that Halifax will not long continue to be the terminus. In his preliminary report on the Intercolonial Railway, Mr. Sandford Fleming suggested a doubt as to Halifax continuing to be the terminus. He thought a point nearer to Europe would be sought; and he argued in favor of a railway across Newfoundland to some accessible port on the Gulf of St. Lawrence whence a line of steamers would carry the passengers to Shipegan, at the entrance of the Bay of Chaleurs. The readers of this journal may remember that a similar scheme was propounded in these columns some three years ago. One difficulty in the way is that, during the months of winter it would be difficult to cross over. If would appear to be of supreme importance that whatever seaport on the Atlantic shall be chosen as the terminus of the great transcontinental railway shall be easy of access all the year round. In the report already adverted to Mr. Fleming has indicated what is everyway likely to become the permanent terminus. "Halifax," he says, "may have to give way to the most easterly harbors in Nova Scotia ---one at Sidney, where the best of coal abounds, and the other, the old French harbor of Louisbourg, where similar advantages may obtain." Upon this subject the Toronto *Mail* has an able article from which we make the following extract:---- "Of these two ports, one alone is open and accessible at all seasons, and that is Louisbourg, which once played so important a part in the early history of this continent. This harbor, which is two miles in length and half a mile in width, with a depth of five and six fathoms, communicates with the open country by a channel only half a mile in length, and one third of a mile in width, having a depth of six to ten fathoms. A vessel arriving on the coast with a favorable wind, can reach safe anchorage in a few minutes after passing the lighthouse which stands, tall and grim, on the precipitous rocks on one side of the entrance. This great facility of access, no doubt, was one of the principal reasons why Louisbourg harbor was chosen by the French for their headquarters on the Gulf in preference to other ports like Sidney and St. Ann's which are in other respects superior. Vessels can ride at anchor with safety in all parts of the harbor, when the rocky coast outside, and the islands at the entrance, not more than half a mile distant, are exposed to the unbroken fury of the waves, and enveloped in immense sheets of surging foam. Only a few casemates and green mounds tell of the formidable fortifications of the days of the French *regime*, while a few coasting schooners or a few fishing boats have taken the place of the large fleets that assembled there from Europe and the West Indies in the middle of the last century. It seems quite probable, however, that commercial enterprise must soon find its way to this lonely harbor, and gradually elevate it to a position of large importance. The finest coal mines of this continent are situated between Louisbourg and Sydney, and are now connected by rail with the latter place. It is also proposed to extend the railway lines to Louisbourg, since Sydney is closed in winter, and very frequently for some time in the spring by the drift ice of the Gulf. When this connection is made, Louisbourg will have taken the first step towards becoming the principal port of call for the passenger steamers of the Atlantic. The only obstacle that nature has interposed to a line of railway from Louisbourg to Halifax or Pictou is the Gut of Canso, but a steamer could be kept running there without any difficulty for the whole year, with the exception of a few weeks in the winter and spring; and it is also certain that a suspension bridge could be thrown across the strait in these days of advanced engineering skill. Years must pass away before Louisbourg will attain a commercial position, but nevertheless no one who considers its accessibility at all seasons, and its vicinity to the coal mines of Cape Breton, can doubt that it will eventually become one of the principal winter ports of the Canadian Dominion." The Gut of Canso separates Cape Breton from Nova Scotia, to which it was no doubt attached at some remote period. This remarkable channel is about a mile wide, upwards of twenty fathoms deep, and fifteen miles in length. The current usually runs at the rate of four and a half miles an hour. It constitutes the grand thoroughfare of all the Provincial and American trade to the Gulf. Query: If the Gut of Canso is to be bridged to carry the railway to Louisbourg on the Atlantic, why should not Seymour Narrows be bridged in order to reach Esquimalt on the Pacific? In the former case the span would be 5,400 feet long. In the latter case the greatest span would be two thousand feet---a little more than one-third of the former.

Our System of Finance.

It was intimated in these columns, several weeks ago, that the finances of this Province were no better managed than they should be. Few, we apprehend, would be prepared for the real state of the case. It appears that, practically, there is neither check nor audit, in so far as securing the honesty of subordinates is concerned. Officers of every grade are allowed to collect revenue at the outposts; to pay themselves out of what they have collected, transmitting the balance, if any, to headquarters. Now, is it not too much to expect men to continue honest under such circumstances? Take the most distant and inaccessible stations, where restraints almost wholly disappear, and it will at once been seen that the temptation to deal loosely with figures is too great to be put upon average humanity. Is it surprising that the freedom with which officers at some stations "buck at Monte" and indulge in other extravagances has become the subject of remark? We do not wish to be understood as intimating that a single official conscience has broken down under this temptation. We do not pretend to say that the public treasury has been defrauded to the extent of a single dollar. But, if it has not, the circumstance is due to the possession of a higher average official conscience than most countries. Even if it could be proven that no advantage has been taken of this extraordinary looseness in dealing with revenue, still that would constitute no excuse for a perpetuation of such unheard of conditions. It is not right to put such a strain upon any man's honesty; neither is it creditable to a Province that its revenues should be less carefully handled than the ordinary income of a shopkeeper's till. There is no desire to underrate the difficulties presented by some of the more remote and inaccessible stations to the carrying out of a strict and uniform *surveillance*. But we claim that where the principle involved is so important a few instances of possible inconvenience ought not to turn the Government aside from the path of obvious duty. Those in power are the custodians of the public revenue; and the people have a right to expect that every reasonable care shall be taken to guard against malfeasance in office, whereby revenues shall be diverted from their proper uses. Last session a bill was passed requiring security from those officers intrusted with public moneys; and we have no doubt the provisions of that bill have been properly enforced by the Executive. But, so long as the present loose system of finance exists to enforce such a measure is very much like bolting and barring the front door against thieves and leaving the back door and the windows wide open. These remarks apply chiefly to revenues collected at out-stations before they or any of them reach headquarters. But it is believed that any remedy that may be applied should cover broader ground.

New Advertisements.

Public School Notice

THE CITY SCHOOLS WILL RE-OPEN on Monday next (to-morrow) at 9½ o'clock a.m.
W. LEIGH,
ja5 Clerk of the Board.

To be Let, Furnished.

THE HOUSE FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY Hon. W. J Macdonald. Apply to
T. ALLSOP & CO.,
ja5 Government st.

Estate of Fell & Finlayson.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Trustees under a deed dated the 23d day of September, 1872, made between James Fell and John Finlayson of Fort street, Victoria, trading under the name of Fell & Finlayson, of the first part, and Matthew Trotter Johnston, George James Findlay and Jules Ruefl of the second part, intend, on the 15th day of January next, to make a dividend of the estate and effects of the said Fell & Finlayson; and that all creditors who have not already proved their debts are to send in particulars of their claims, properly verified, to Mr C. G. WYLLY, Accountant, Government street, Victoria, on or before the last-mentioned date, or they will be excluded from the benefit of the said dividend.

VICTORIA, 3d January, 1873.
GEORGE J. FINDLAY,
MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON,
pro JULES RUEFF, T. EARLE.
ja5 Assignees.

CHARLES TAYLOR,

Iron, Tin and Copper Smith,
Johnson st. above Government,
☞ All orders will receive prompt attention. ja4

A COMPLIMENTARY BALL

TO

PROF. C. SHAFFER,

Will be held at the

OLD SING VERIEN HALL,

Government street,

On Wednesday Evening, Jan'y 15,

TICKETS (admitting a Gentleman and Ladies) $1. ja4

Official List of Letters

REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT Victoria on the 3d of January, 1873.

Persons calling for any of the Letters in this Lis will please say, "Advertised,"

Ahem J	Keddy J
Aine G	Keeler R
Anderson G W	Kenney G
Andrews J	Lang J
Anderson & Co	LaChapelle J
Bell E	Livingstone Miss J
Began F	Lissett J
Barnston J, M P P	Larsen H P
Blinkensop G	LeLevre L
Beall W W	Logan —
Bean G R	Lyndon C A
Billings G	Lowe W H
Bloomfield —	Martin Capt
Bunto J G	Madden D
Briley S	Miller Mrs A
Burgess J P	Mitchell J
Bossi Miss M	Munro Miss M J
Burton T	Molma A
Bonwick Mrs	Morton H
Brosnahan J	Montoba J
Burnett Mrs G	Morrison D
Boullet E	McGregor C
Cicero G	McAlister L
Cameron Miss M A	McGinley Miss M
Charters W B	McCulley J
Callon P	Maclure J
Christopher B C	McCoy A
Caswell A F	McMillan D
Constantine W	Normansell J
Costello Mrs C	Nelson Mrs P
Colos Miss	Newman Mrs
Collen J	Nealean A
Cutler J R	Newman J
Clark J B	Nicholson J H
Cuno W	Oliver N T
Coffey —	Parker J
Curran J L	Reed N
Carswell W	Read —
Davis C J	Rankin J
Dexter R	Romano L B
Douglas J	Roberts T
Downes R	Rolls Mrs E
Falshaw R	Scott W
Finnety —	Semlin C A, M P P
Ferguson A B	Siddell Dr
Fisher C	Sanderson T
Fairbrother G	Shields Eiss F
Farr S R	Smallbone C
Francis C	Seymour G T
Freeman D	Stock J
Ford T L	Stevenson Dr E
Fulcher B T	Squires Capt
Fraser T	Stronach A V
Ganner Miss E	Staley G
Gibbons Miss M	Smith & Sterling
Gibbs Mrs R	Spohr F
Gibson J	Storey T
Graves W	Thornhill R D
Hicks Mrs	Thomas A
Harrison Mrs G	Thompson R W
Hanks G	Thorp A R
Hermenover E	Thistleton Mrs E
Hamilton C	Tinor Mrs E V
Hilliar W	Townsend Mrs A A
Heck J	Trims H
Hazen F O	Turner G
Heal D	Wilson R H
Hawkins Miss A	Williams R
Hicks G	Wallace Mrs M
Howard Miss P	Warren Miss
Humphrey W	Watson R
Jeffrey W	Wall D
Johnson Mrs S	Wilton T
Jones W A	Wilson G
Kindred J E	West P
Keatley W H	Wolf L

ja4 H. WOOTTON, Postmaster.

Notice to Merchants and Others.

U. S CONSULATE,
AT VICTORIA, B. C.

CONSIGNEES OF MERCHANDISE IMported from the United States in bond are hereby notified that their Certificates for the landing of such Merchandise must be presented at the Consulate with all the blanks properly filled up, dated and signed; in default of which the Consular certification will be withheld.
DAVID ECKSTEIN,
de29 U. S. Consul.

New Advertisements.

VICTORIA HOUSE.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING DISPOSED of the business on Government street known as VICTORIA HOUSE to MESSRS DENNY & SPENCER request all persons indebted to that establishment to pay their accounts either at our Counting House in Wharf street, or to Messrs Denny & Spencer, who have been authorized to receive the same.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
VICTORIA, B. C., 4th January, 1873. ja5

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VICTORIA HOUSE,

JANUARY 4th, 1873,

MESSRS. DENNY & SPENCER

Beg to announce that they have purchased from Messrs. Findlay, Durham & Brodie the

Entire STOCK & BUSINESS

Of the abovenamed House, and are determined to offer for sale the

BALANCE OF WINTER AND SURPLUS STOCK

At Prices that will ensure a Clearance.

THE SALE WILL BE FOR 30 DAYS,

AND FOR CASH ONLY,

COMMENCING ON MONDAY, JAN. 6TH

—oo—

The Proprietors also take this opportunity of informing the Public upon the principle they intend to do business.

We have long thought it unfair to the Cash Buyer to be charged the same Price as those whh take long Credit. To obviate this we shall do a CASH BUSINESS and shall

CONSIDER ACCOUNTS PAID AT SIXTY DAYS BY OUR FAMILY CUSTOMERS AS CASH.

These Terms we shall strictly adhere to. We shall not dilate upon the advantages here offered to CASH BUYERS; but must respectfully solicit the patronage of the general public, who will in a very short time APPRECIATE THE SYSTEM WE INTEND TO INAUGURATE.
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General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 31st December, 1872.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in Circulation	$212,035 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$ 79,966 69
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	31,752 12	Gold and Silver Bullion	31,068 14
Deposits not bearing interest	$538,505 66	Landed and other Property	39,783 09
Deposits bearing interest	83,516 64 622,020 70	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	394,233 59
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	692,675 62
Total amount of Liabilities	$865,808 82	Total amount of Assets	$1,237,727 13

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 31st December, 1872 ..... $1,490,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 6 ⅞ cent. ⅞ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared ..... $ 44,700 00
Amount of Reserved profit at time of declaring such Dividend ..... $ 53,205 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 31st December, 1872.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 4th day of January, 1873.
ja5 (Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

Economy

BEING THE ORDER OF THE DAY,

THE SAME MAY BE SUCCESSFULLY practised during the Holidays by Purchasing

TOYS AND XMAS PRESENTS

—AT—

GORRIE'S

FORT STREET BAZAAR.

A Splendid Assortment of

New Toys & Fancy Goods

To hand direct from England and for Sale

At GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

Blue Post Saloon.

JAMES MADY,

Late of the Market Exchange, Fort street,

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE WILL OPEN the above Saloon on Saturday Evening, Jan. 4th, with a choice stock of

WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS,

On which occasion he will be happy to meet all his old friends. ja3

TO SCIENTISTS.

WANTED BY M. ALPHONSE L. PINART, the skulls of deceased Indians of tribes belonging to California, Arizona, Oregon, Washington Territory, Idaho, Alaska and British Columbia. Each skull must be accompanied by a certificate indicating the tribe to which deceased belonged and the exact locality where procured. A fair price will be paid on delivering the same to Agapius Honcharenko, No. 611 Clay street, San Francisco, California, who is authorized to act in the matter as agent.
Paris, November 28th, 1872. ja3 1m

NEW ENGLAND Bakery and Restaurant.

GOVERNMENT STREET.

At the above place will be found a choice variety of

Xmas Cakes,

Mince Pies,

and Pastry

Of all descriptions at Lowest Rates. de20

MUSIC.

PROF. C. SCHAFFER WILL GIVE LESsons at the residences of pupils, at Schools, or at his rooms, on the Violin, Flute, Clarionet, Guitar, Bass Viol, and every description of Brass Instrument.

☞ Balls, Parties and Dinners supplied with Music at reasonable rates.

Orders left at his residence, corner of View and Broad streets, will receive prompt attention. ja3

JOHN WILSON,

THE "GARRICK'S HEAD" INN,

de29 Bastion Street.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY NOTIFY THOSE WHOM IT MAY concern that I do not hold myself responsible for any debts contracted by any of my crew.
C. S. FRIIS,
de29 Captain of the Bark Almatia.

FARM PRODUCE.

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR Farm Produce of all kinds by
C. BOSSI,
de31 Government st.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SImon Moffat Dorman, of the City of Victoria, is the sole owner or the Steamboat which plied on the Kamloops Lake during the past season and is now upon or near the same Lake, and that John R. Adams is in possession of the same Steamboat as agent for Simon Moffat Dorman.
J. ROLAND HETT,
de27 Solicitor, Bastion St.

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE MY SON, EDWARD A. McQUADE, has an interest in my business. PETER McQUADE.
Victoria, V.I., Dec. 31st, 1872. ja1

CEMETERY BOARD.

NOTICE.

WRITTEN APPLICATIONS FOR THE position of KEEPER of Ross Bay Cemetery, addressed to the Secretary, will be received up to the 8th January, 1873. Testimonials or the names of referees should accompany applications.

For further particulars apply to
J. ROLAND HETT, Secretary.
Bastion street. ja1

Deluge Engine Company.

NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE HOLIDAYS the regular monthly meeting of the above Company is postponed to Thursday the 9th January, 1873.
ja1 JOHN CROWTHER, Foreman.

REMOVAL.

J. WRIGLESWORTH HAS REMOVED his Saloon to the premises near his Old Stand and next door to the Phœnix Fire Assurance Office. de31

ADELPHI SALOON To be Leased.

OWING TO THE FAILING HEALTH OF the proprietor of the Adelphi Saloon, on the corner of Government and Yates, he will rent the abovenamed well known premises for one, two or three years

For particulars apply to
de19 P. MURPHY.

New Advertisements.

Christmas Store,

Opp. Hook and Ladder House, Government Street.

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TO BE SOLD AT A GREAT SACRIFICE

HANDSOME STOCK OF FANCY GOODS!!

The Public are respectfully invited to Inspect the Stock ere they Purchase Elsewhere.

Mrs. Johnson, late of the ENGLISH BAZAAR, has been engaged to ispose of the above for the owners, who wish to clear out late Shipments.

The Store will be Open on MONDAY next, Dec. 16th, 1872.
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CANADIAN CLOTHING!

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A. McLEAN & CO.

Have now received a Splendid Assortment of

Canadian Clothing,

CONSISTING OF

TWEED SUITS, PANTS, VESTS, OVERCOATS, JACKETS, &C., &C.

We have purchased these Goods to give our Customers and the Public an opportunity of comparing Canadian Manufactured Goods, in Style, Quality and Price, with Scotch and English. They will be

SOLD VERY CHEAP!!

As our Stock of all kinds of Clothing is very Large.
no28

THE HUDSON BAY COMPANY

Offer for Sale, in Bond or Duty Paid,

AT VICTORIA, V. I.,

A Large Assortment of

DRY GOODS, AND CLOTHING,

GROCERIES,

WINES, SPIRITS, &C., &C.,

Ex Princess Royal

AND OTHER RECENT ARRIVALS

FROM LONDON AND ELSEWHERE.
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The Finest

POULTRY

of all kinds at

W. B. TOWNSEND'S

FORT STREET.

Christmas Turkeys, Geese Fowls, Sucking Pigs, and Game.

Fresh & Dried Fruits

Nuts, new growth

FRESH EGGS, &c

de14

STRAYED

ON MY PREMISES—A TWO-YEAR OLD Heifer: just calved. The owner can have it by describing brands and paying expenses.
CHARLES R. SMALLBONE,
de29 Royal Oak, Saanich.

$100,000

FOR WATER?

BOSH!

Take

BUNSTER.

de17

WANTED.

A FIRST AND SECOND OFFICER. A. B. Seamen for London, Australia, Callao and China. Apply to
J. NAGLE,
de21 Shipping Agent.

Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 5TH, 1873.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ARRIVED.

Jan. 4—None.

CLEARED.

Jan. 4—None.

Nanaimo Coal Exports

For the year ending 31st December, 1872.

	TONS CWT
San Francisco	24,369 00
Portland	1,778 10
Honolulu	1,000 00
San Diego	1,000 00
Mazatlan	600 00
San Pedro	430 00
Ounalaska	332 05
Victoria	9,127 05
Vessels calling	7,230 05
New Westminster	41 00
	46,148 00
Total shipments in 1871	34,866 15
Increase in 1872	11,281 05

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Sir James Douglas arrived yesterday evening at 4 o'clock, from Nanaimo and way ports. She brought a Mail and the following passengers: Lieut. Diggle, Miss Hawkes, and A. Bunster, M.P,P. She reports the bark Constitution about sailing; the steamer California coaling. The steamer Enterprise was lying off the 10 Mile Point for the night. A big cave of an acre and a quarter had taken place at the Douglas Pit on New Year's Day at 4 a. m. Had the miners been at work, 40 persons must have perished. They were driving a drain to run off the water. The Cameleon was taking spars on board at Horse Shoe Bay. The Sir James Douglas experienced very rough weather on her down trip.

VICTORIA HOUSE. — Messrs. Findlay, Durham & Brodie have disposed of the business in this city known as Victoria House to Messrs. Denny & Spencer. Mr. Denny has been manager of Victoria House since its opening, and Mr. Spencer is one of our oldest business men. We predict for the new firm a prosperous career.

APPLICATIONS TO BE ADMITTED.—Messrs Theodore Davie, Chas. Jas. Leggatt and Eli Harrison, jr., intend to apply at the next Easter term of the Supreme Court to be admitted as attorneys and solicitors. All these young gentlemen were educated to the law in this Province.

MASONIC JEWEL.—On Thursday evening Mr. I. Ragazzoni, the retiring W. M. of Victoria Lodge, was presented with a beautiful Free Mason's Jewel by the members of the Lodge. The jewel was made by Mr. Rudolph of this city and is a most creditable piece of workmanship.

COAL SHIPMENTS FOR 1872.—By the annual statement published this morning it will be seen that the quantity of coal shipped in 1872 exceeded the quantity shipped in 1871 by 11,281 05 tons, representing about $60,000 in value. This is very encouraging.

CUT OFF.—We heard last night that Mr John Connell, of the Provincial Secretary's Department, and Mr. C. Judson Young, Clerk of the Executive Council, have been notified that their services will not longer be required by the Government. In each case four months' pay is secured by the retiring officers.

THE "NEW DEAL." — J. Roland Hett, Esq., has been appointed Clerk of the Legislative Assembly by the "New Deal." Mr, Good, the late efficient Clerk, will continue to act as Deputy Provincial Secretary.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. Stephens, C. E., has been appointed by Mr. Pearse engineer of the harbor improvements, and Mr. Dexter, late of Cariboo, has been appointed to command the dredger. The work will soon commence.

IN THE GALE.—The Sir James Douglas caught the gale in all its fury yesterday. The waves frequently combed over the ship, and one ugly fellow boarded her came within an ace of carrying off Capt. Clarke and Mr. Bunster, M.P.P.. in his arms.

CHINAMEN ON A STRIKE.—The Chinese employed in a large manufacturing establishment not far from town "struck" yesterday, assigning as a reason that they had been "docked" for the Christmas holiday.

HEAVY BLOW. — The blow of Friday night freshened to a gale before morning, but we heard of no damage on land beyond the levelling of fences. Last night the gale continued with unabated violence.

A FRENCHMAN can now make cheap sham diamonds, rubies, sapphires and emeralds to deceive the very elect. A Boston jeweller has been humbugged by them.

CHANGED.—The Government has removed the North Arm Polling Division from Mr. P. H. Clarke's farm to Mr. Ferris' house, N. W. District.

CATTLE EXEMPTIONS.—By a notice in the *Gazette*, 52 cows, 30 calves and 2 bulls are mentioned as having been registered under the "Cattle Exemption Act, 1871."

CLERKS OF THE BENCH.—It is reported that the "New Deal" have decided to dispense with all the Clerks of the Beach.

WINDBOUND.—The stmr. Enterprise lay all last night under Stuart Island. Hons. Armstrong and Holbrook are on board.

POLICE COURT.—Two Fort Rupert Indians, charged with firing off fire-crackers, were remanded till Monday next,

GREELEY'S EPITAPH.—"Fame is a vapor; popularity an accident; riches take wings; the only earthly certainty is oblivion. And yet I cherish the hope that the journal I projected and established will live and flourish long after I shall have moldered into forgotten dust, better guided by a larger wisdom, a more unerring sagacity to discern the right, though not a more unfaltering readiness to embrace and defend it at whatever personal cost; and that the stone which covers my ashes may bear to future ages the still intelligibe inscription: "Founder of the New York *Tribune*.'"—*Recollections of a Busy Life*

Dickens considered *David Copperfield* his best novel. Its sale continues at an almost undiminished rate. Lately there were 83,000 sold in three weeks.

Sumas and Chilliwhack.

EDITOR COLONIST: — The advocates of an assisted emigration to the country have always been met by the assurance that we have little or no arable land, and that, consequently, we cannot offer to the intending settler the same inducements presented by Ontario, Australia, or the United States.

Recently, finding I had a few days at my disposal, I resolved to visit the Chilliwhack and Sumas settlements and learn from personal observation and conversation with the settlers themselves the truth or falsity of those assertions, which, while not benefitting those who make them, are so detrimental to the best interests of the Province.

Landing on the Sumass, at what must soon become the site of a thriving village, my attention was arrested by the hum of machinery proceeding from a large grist mill which has just been completed for the Messrs. Chadsey. This establishment represents a heavy capital investment, and is said to be the most complete of its kind in the Province. The buildings are large and substantial. The motive power is supplied by a powerful engine manufactured by Mr. Spratt, of this city, and the milling machinery combines all the most modern improvements and labor saving appliances.

A few steps farther on and facing the river is a large general store, the property of D. W. Miller, Esq., and adjoining the store is the residence where that gentleman dispenses his well known hospitality.

Riding through the settlements, I was agreeably surprised not only by the great fertility of the soil but by the evidences of progress and thrift everywhere discernable.

The farms are being well fenced, the area under cultivation is being rapidly extended, new roads are being laid out and old ones improved.

Great attention is being directed to the improvement of stock by the introduction of superior breeds, and labor is being economized by the importation of the most approved agricultural machinery.

A neat church and commodious parsonage have been erected by the Methodist persuasion, and good public schools exist in both the settlements.

The homesteads are of a superior class, some of which, as for instance, the residences of A. C. Wells, J. P., and H. Kipp, Esq., would not discredit the best suburbs of Victoria.

In conversation with the settlers, many of whom came from Ontario, they assured me that the advantages to the settler here, as compared with that much vaunted Province, are greatly in our favor, and, while expressing their satisfaction with their own valuable locations and prospects for the future, asserted that an abundance of land equally rich and not difficult of access is still open for pre-emption.

These prairies consist of alluvium deposited by the Chilliwhack and Fraser rivers, and extend between the latter and the United States boundary, and although in some positions flooded every year, yet the inundation seldom lasts long enough to cause much inconvenience to the farmer. I would advise all "croakers" to go and see those settlements for themselves, and would respectfully recommend to the new Ministry that in framing their Estimates for the ensuing year they do not forget to help those who help themselves.

ALPHA.

A Warning

Toil not for wealth, friend;
It wastes away—it wastes away;
Hoard up your health, friend,
While yet you may—while yet you may.
Joy is not gilded,
Mirth has no crown;
Rest seeks the straw bed
Oft as the down.

Strive not for fame, friend:
It rushes past—it rushes past;
And but a name, friend,
If held at last—if held at last.
Peace in the calm soul
Dwelleth secure;
Nestling beside her
Love doth enduro.

Set not your heart, friend,
On outward things—on outward things;
They but depart, friend,
On treach'rous wings—on treach'rous wing
Kindle affection's
Delicate flame,
Purer than riches,
Brighter than fame.

THE SUEZ CANAL.—The Suez Canal, although a work of vast importance to the commercial interests of the world, yields no revenue to its shareholders. Late information obtained at the Vienna Chamber of Commerce shows that the tolls of the canal produce about £600,000 a year, and its management and sustentation costs the company rather more than a third of that sum. The £400,000 remaining are absorbed meeting the claims of debenture holders, leaving no surplus for divideds. It has long been deemed a matter of international importance that the neutralization of this important artery of trade should be secured, and recently the idea of purchasing the canal from the shareholders by contributions of maritime nations, and of placing it under the control of an International Syndicate, has been broached in the Italian Parliament. But notwithstanding the unproductive character of their property, the shareholders are represented to be unwilling to sell it, doubtless believing that it will in a few years become an immensely remunerative work. The concession granted to the canal company is to last ninety-nine years from the opening of the canal to navigation, at expiration of which time the Egyptian Government is to enter into full possession of all the property and rights appertaining to the work; so it will be seen that the company has a long time before it in which to realize the fruits of its bold and liberal enterprise.

THE spirit-rapping delusion has made great progress since it commenced a few years ago in Rochester. Its advocates claim that in America they already number its adherents by millions, and now that it has found its native soil and climate among the pagans of Asia, it may be expected to spread much more extensively. An East India correspondent to the London *Times* says, that spirit-rapping has become a mania among the Hindoos, and that it threatens to spread over the whole country. It could not find on earth a more genial soil for its superstitious extravagances. It may penetrate all Asia from this source, for if it once gets far enough northward to infect the Buddhists it will be likely to extend over all the interior and eastern ranges of the continent, for Buddhism is the only live "ism" of all that region.

THE unification of the various Methodist bodies in Canada is not considered doubtful or distant. The body will be known as the United Wesleyan Church of Canada.

[British Colonist (Halifax, N. S.) Dec. 12.]

From the Atlantic to the Pacific.

The fourth lecture, by Rev. G. M. Grant was delivered on Tuesday evening, before a large and highly respectable and thoroughly appreciative audience. It was worthy, and more than worthy, of the three preceding lectures; and this we regard as very high praise indeed.

The lecturer laid on the table some specimens of the Prairie flora furnished him by Professor Lawson; also a "Calumet of Peace" from Governor Archibald—the very Calumet smoked by the Indians during the making of the two treaties which Governor Archibald had negotiated with them. He also read the analysis of a box of coal from the Upper Sascatchewan, a sample submitted by Governor Archibald. The analysis had been made by Professor Lawson, and was in the highest degree satisfactory.

The lecturer then described the route traversed from the head of Yellow Head Pass to the shores of the Pacific. They had passed the first range of Rocky Mountains at a height of 8700 feet. Now two other ranges have to be crossed. How can this be done? The Fraser River begins on the east side of the second (or gold) range. For some distance it follows a straight course west, towards the Pacific; but then it meets the gold range, high, hard, unbroken, covered with everlasting snows. It cannot break through this stupendous and awful barrier. So it turns at right angles and makes for the north, until it reaches the end of the range, and then it suddenly loops south again and makes its way into the Pacific. The proposed railway route does not follow the Fraser River in its northward course, but turns southward, and makes for the head of the Thompson River It was here, in the wild country between Tete Jaune Cache and Kamloops that the real hardships of the journey were experienced. The difficulties were simply enormous, and would have been unsurmountable were it not for the trail that had been cut by the surveying party from Vancouver Island.

In the heart of this terible country the party met John Glen, a pioneer mining prospector, looking out for gold. He was alone—with two well-laden horses. Mr. Grant pictured him out finely as a representative character, and showed the wonderful hardships to which miners submit. He described the magnificent forests of this region—vast picturesque, tall, boundless—the cedars, pines, hemlocks, spruce, rivilling each other in grandeur and beauty.

Here, too, they found the head of the 'headless Indian,' spoken of by Milton and Cheadle. The skull was expected here on the night of the lecture, but had not arrived. A skull of a flat-headed Indian was exhibited.

After a hard and prolonged struggle with the difficulties of the trail, they reached Kamloops, where once more they were within reach of civilization. Here they had the joy of receiving newspapers and hearing news, after being two months without communication with the outer world,

They had now to traverse between the second and third Ranges. They had a waggon road, and were able to hire waggons, and made comparatively rapid progress. At the village of shanties, with a population of about 100 souls, the two great rivers, the Thompson and Fraser unite. The river continues wild, rapid, raging through mountain groges, with but rare patches of intervals here and there. Mr. Grant explained the rush of gold diggers to British Columbia in 1858 and 1862, and the way in which the population floated away again, leaving but few behind. He very graphically described the magnificent natural scenery of the country, and spoke most hopefully of its future. He deplored the blundering of British displomacy through which we lost San Juan. Our boundary should have been the Columbia river, and, no doubt, would have been if the British Ministry had known anything of the country; but severely as the loss of San Juan has been felt, we can do without it, we have more good land, more resources than we know well what to do with.

Mr. Grant described the "Inlets" of the British Columbia coast, and the probable termini of the Pacific Railway. The terminus will probably be on Vancouver Island, but the precise spot it is impossible to say, Surveys are still going on with regard to a possible terminus on the mainland. He spoke of the law abiding character of British Columbian miners, outrages are unknown; no theft. no robbery, no shooting, a most remarkable contrast to the state of affairs on the other side of the line; and due mainly to the high character of British Columbian Judges. He referred to the magnificent climate, the matchless scenery, the inexhaustible coal measures, the quarries, and the agricultural resources of Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and stated that Union with the Dominion had already effected beneficially the interests of this splendid country.

In view of the country that he had traversed, and the scenes that he had described, the lecturer said that the sentiment that burst from his lips was that ascribed to his hero by Sir Walter Scott: "Where's the man that would not fight for such a land!" It is all our own, from the sea pastures of Nova Scotia, the lordly forests of New Brunswick, the ancient glories of Quebec on her beetling cliffs, the hundred thousand happy farmer homes of Ontario—the lakes wild and strong, and masterful as seas,—the majestic rivers, the boundless prairies, the great lone land—the exhaustless mines of coal, and gold, and silver—the mountain ranges that send down fertilizing rivers from their sides, and cooling breezes from their brows—all from the stormy Atlantic to the sunny breadths of the mighty Pacific, is our own: and Halifax is the natural wharf of this great country. Who would not fight for such a land! Was it not worth while to be loyal to such a country, and true to our destiny, to establish and develop British Institutions for ourselves and those that come after us?

THE Vienna Exposition (to open May 1, 1873. and last five months), is designed to be the largest one ever attempted; and the Vienese are making prodigious efforts to give it an excellance in all departments far surpassing the great exhibitions of former years in Paris and London.

A BOY, born on the Union Pacific Railroad's Western-bound train, near a little town in Utah Territory, has been named "Ulysses Pacific,"

"SHALL I have your hand?" said an exquisite to a belle, as the dance was about to commence. "With all my heart," was the response.

SALT FOR COUGHS.—In those days when diseases of the throat prevail, the particularly dry and hacking cough, which is not only distressing to ourselves but to those with whom we are brought into business contact, those thus afflicted may be benefited by trying the following remedy: Last fall we were induced to try what virtue there was in common salt. We commenced by using it three times a day—morning, noon and night. We dissolved a large tablespoonful of common salt in about a half a tumblerful of cold water, and with this we gargled the throat most effectually, just before meal time. The result has been that during the winter we were not only free from the usual coughs and colds to which, as far as our memory extends, we have always been subject, but the dry, hacking cough has entirely disappeared. We attribute it entirely to the salt gargle, and do most cordially recommend it to those of our readers who are subject to disease of the throat.

BLOOD AS DIET.—Attention having been drawn by Professor Panum, of the University of Copenhagen, to the amount of nutritious matter contained in blood and usually lost, Dr. Neilson, of that city, has been endeavoring to solve the problem of fixing blood in forms suitable for food, and at the same time capable of preservation, namely: First, as sausages, puddings and cakes—being mixed with fat, meal, sugar, salt and a few spices—to serve as much cheaper compensation or substitute for meat, and intended more especially for the use of the poorer classes; and, second, as blood chocolate, more especially suitable to be used in hospitals, as well as otherwise in medical practice, in which latter form it has been recommended by Professor Panum, at a meeting of physicians at Copenhagen, and is now being employed in some of the hospitals of that city.

IT seems the long talked-of railway from the Mediterranean to India will soon be commenced; but there is a difference of opinion as to what route it ought to follow. The Oxus and Uuphrates valleys are both eligible. The former is the shortest, while by the latter no special engineering difficulties will be encountered. It is proposed first to build 800 miles of railway at a cost of $900,000,000, from Alexandria in Egypt to Konalt on the Persian Gulf, which is close to Bombay. This would pay for itself while the remaining portion was being constructed.

POORLY PAID CLERGYMEN.—In some parts of Germany the material condition of the Protestant clergy seems anything but enviable, and it is therefore no wonder that theological studies should be at a discount. According to a memorial of the metropolitan of Hesse Cassel, Dr. Hochbut, there are in that Duchy 482 parsonages whose incumbents are paid at the following rates: 134 receive 400 thalers (a thaler is 60 cents); 202 receive 500 thalers; 106 about 600 thalers. Only 40 receive 1,000 thalers.

AN old maid who was over nice in regard to cleanliness about her house, once scrubbed her sitting-room floor until she fell through it into the cellar.

CREDITABLE.—An important feature in the society of our city is the numerous and healthy appearance of the children of all ages. Misnomers are applied to many streets, and but for the sameness of name, Prolific would become any one of them. With a knowledge of this fact, a most charming, beautiful and varied collection of Juvenile Books and Christmas Presents were ordered for the occasion and have just been received and are open for inspection.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. ***

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded whatused to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared on his premises on Government street, and sold by all the principal dealers. ***

NEW WINTER GOODS.—A. B. Gray has received by last steamer the first of a series of shipments of new goods selected for the present season. Attention is directed to his large stock of Winceys, French Merinos, Alpacas, Dress Stuffs, Waterproof and other Tweeds, Black Silk Mantle Velvets, Velveteens, Colored Japanese Silks, Black Silks, Shawls, Jackets, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk, Alpaca and Cotton Umbrellas, Hosiery, Gloves, Ribbons, &c., &c. Prices Right!!—Government street. ***

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the COLONIST OFFICE, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profi. ***

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—J. Jungerman directs public attention to his large and handsome stock of fine gold and silver watches for ladies and gentlemen, elegant sets of diamond and other jewelry, and many other articles in this line, suitable for Holiday Presents. Silverware, plated ware, music boxes, spectacles, &c., &c., in great number and variety. ***

THAT PORTFOLIO.—As there is considerable discussion going on at present about the creating of new portfolios, the undersigned is prepared to make them in any quantity. Also, Blank Books and every description of Binding and Ruling done. R. T. WILLIAMS, at Messrs T. N. Hibben & Co's, ***

THE undersigned begs to inform his friends and the public that he has just received, ex-Prince Alfred, a fine assortment of fashionable clothing—in addition to his stock.—DAVID GREEN, Government street. ***

WE wonder what induces David Green, the Clothier, of Government street, to advertise, as everyone is aware that he keeps the best fashionable made clothing north of San Francisco. ***

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS. A fine assortment of watches and jewelry for sale at C. Redfern's, Governmen street. Also, a small lot of fine French bronze figures, and porcelain ware, being the first of the kind imported into this Province. ***

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony. ***

New Advertisements.

Wanted on Loan.

$6000 AND $9000 ON FIRST CLASS security. Apply to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Government St.
January 1st, 1873. ja1

Victoria Gas Company, Limited.

Notice to Shareholders.

The Shareholders in the Victoria Gas Co' limited, are requested to take notice that the Annual General Meeting of the Comp'y will be held at the Office, at the Works, on MONDAY, Jan. 13th, 1873, at 12 m.

By order of the Board of Directors,

C. W. R. THOMSON,
Secretary.
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NEW SEASONS FRUITS
And other Goods
Specially Selected for the Undersigned,
EX "PRINCESS ROYAL,"
FROM LONDON.

CONSISTING OF—
Layer Muscatel Raisins—¼ and ½ bxs,
Zante Currants—In 14-lb tins,
Eleme Figs—In ¼ and ½ boxes,
Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles.
Crosse & Blackwell's Vinegar,
Colman's D. S. F. Mustard,
Lea & Perrins Worster Sauce,
Robinson's Oatmeal—In 25 lb tins,
Knight & Son's London Soap,
Price's Belmont Candles, &c., &c.

FOR SALE BY
THOMAS HODGES,
BAKER & GROCER,
Douglas Street, Victoria.
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GREAT REDUCTION IN SEWING MACHINES!
Singer's Family from $40 to $55.
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REMEMBER, it is as EASY and as CHEAP send piece of music one thousand miles as one mile.
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J. FINLAYSON,
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Has received a choice supply of
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Zante Currants (superior quality);
Candied Peel;
Turkey Figs,
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Crystalized Dessert Fruits,
Orange, Lemon, Vanilla, Madeira, Noyeau and Punch Jellies,
Flavoring Extracts and Spices,
Jordan Almonds,
Bitter Almonds,
Shell Almonds and
Nuts of every description,
Prime Eastern Cheese,
Best brands of Teas and Sugars.
As for MY COFFEE, it speaks for itself. Everybody asks for it.
de10 J. FINLAYSON.

Christmas Goods!
JAMES MOSS
Has received by steamship Idaho—20 doz. New York Prize Boxes;
Also—MOTTO NUTS. Conversation Lozenges, Crosse & Blackwell's Bon Bons, and a great variety of first class Confectionery.
TOYS for Christmas Trees and Wax Tapers, which he will sell at 25 cents per doz.
The Confectionery will be sold as cheap as at any house in town.
He has also TURKEY FIGS and the following varieties of NUTS of this year's growth:—Brazil Nuts, Peanuts, Barcelona Nuts and Walnuts.
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In this city for sale at prices ranging
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Just received from CANADA.
J. C. TRACY,
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All Machines warranted. de20

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VENISON AND ALL KINDS OF GAME
In Season.
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Lemons, Eggs, Butter.
Large Assortment Dried Fruit.
For sale VERY LOW by
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AUCTIONEERS,
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,
Wharf Street, Victoria.

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and ay promptness and attention they hope to secure b share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.
☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments.
Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. jy4

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CONSIGNMENTS OF FRUIT, FLOUR AND Butter received by every steamer.

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Regular Sales every Wednesday at 10½ o'clock.
Consignments solicited, Prompt Returns and Moderate Charges guaranteed.
Sales attended in any part of the city or vicinity.
Best city references given.

Regular Sale Days, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 10½ a. m.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
C. E. REDFERN,
Watchmaker and Jeweler,

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE Stock and Business of Mr. E. Watson, will Remove on Dec. 4th to larger and more convenient premises opposite the Theatre on Government street, lately occupied by Mr. D. Spencer where, in addition to his usual stock he will offer for sale

A Fine Assortment of Goods suitable for Xmas and New Year's Presents, to arrive by the next Steamer.

C. R. takes this opportunity of thanking his numerous customers for the kind support he has received during the past nine years, and solicits from them and from those who were formerly customers of Mr. E. Watson a continuance of the same, assuring them that it will be his constant endeavor to give satisfaction in every branch of the business,

Particular attention paid to the Repairing of Chronometers and Fine Watches.

Fairburn's "Crests of the Families of Great Brita and Ireland" for the use of those who may desire to have seals or crests engraved. no30

DANCING CLASS.
Prof'r C. SCHAFFER

WILL OPEN HIS DANCING CLASS ON Saturday Evening, 15th December, at THE OLD SING VEREIN HALL,
Government street, commencing at 8 o'clock, sharp and will continue the same every Thursday and urday evenings until further notice.
The Class will be held on Thursday, Dec. 26th, stead of Wednesday.
N. B.—A full string Band will be attendance. de12

Most Important to Purchasers of
CHRISTMAS FRUITS!

THE PRINCESS ROYAL FROM LONDON brought a very Choice lot of new season's Fruits a selection in London from the latest arrivals for

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Layer Muscatel Raisins, very choice,
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Candied Peels in tins and bottls,
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Crosse & Blackwells Pickles, Vinegar, &c.,
Capt. White's Pickles,
Knight & Son's London Soap, "the Pride of the Laundry,"
Price's Belmont Sperm Candles,
Russian Adamantine Candles,

And always in Stock, Choice Teas and Coffee, Raw & Refined Sugars, Hams and Bacon, Cheese, &c.

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Physicians' Prescriptions carefully prepared.
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Where I intend keeping a
WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF
AMERICAN, CANADIAN & ENGLISH CLOTHING,
Underclothing, &c. I take this opportunity of thanking them for the liberal share of patronage that I have received during the last two years, and hope, by strictly adhering to the principles of "Quick Sales and Small Profits," and "One Price and No Abatement," to merit a continuance of the same.
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PIANOFORTE TUNER & REGULATO

KANE STREET.

MUSIC OF MY COMPOSITION MAY B had of T. N. Hibben & Co., Victoria, B.C. jy26

J. BAGNALL,

PIANOFORTE TUNER AND REPAIRER,

au7 1m No. 19 Fort Street.

Card of Thanks to Dr. Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr. Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong whose charges, I may also say, were reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia. WILLIAM McCORMICK.
Victoria, Aug 26th, 1871. au17

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Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale.
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Toothache or Headache cured in from One to Three Minutes!

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ESQUIMALT GRAVING DOCK.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLumbia are prepared to receive Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock at the Naval Station Esquimalt Harbor, under the guarantee provided in Twelfth Section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work at the rate of five per cent per annum, on such sums not exceeding £100,000 sterling as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

The Dock to be of Masonry, and of not less than the following dimensions:—

Length on floor 370 feet,
Do over all 400 feet,
Width between copings 90 feet,
Do on floor.....45 feet,
Do of entrance.....63 feet.

To afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 26½ feet at high water springs, and to be substantial constructed to the approval of Government, upon a site to be provided by the person whose tenders may be accepted.

Further particulars as to plans, site, borings, &c, may be obtained from T. A. BULKLEY, Esq., Chief Engineer to Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders must specify the time within which the Dock will be completed, and may be accompanied by drawings and descriptions, showing exact dimensions, materials and mode of construction of proposed Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tender for Esquimalt Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his office before noon on the 15th day of November, 1872.

Persons who may consider the above guarantee to be insufficient, are at liberty to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government or upon such other financial inducements as they may suggest.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Bond from the Contractor, and two sufficient sureties, for the payment of £10,000 to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due fulfilment of the Tender which it accompanies provided it be accepted within three months from the said 15th of November.

By Command,
GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Office.
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. ap27

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS BY A NOTICE, UNDER DATE of 27th April, 1872, and signed by GEO. A. WALKEM, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, were invited to be sent in, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on or before noon of the 15th November, 1872,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time for sending in such Tenders has been and is hereby extended until noon of the 31st December next.

By Command, B. W. PEARSE,
Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Depart't,
Victoria, 19th Sept., 1872. 80

Dentistry.

MILLS BOWDEN,

DENTIST,

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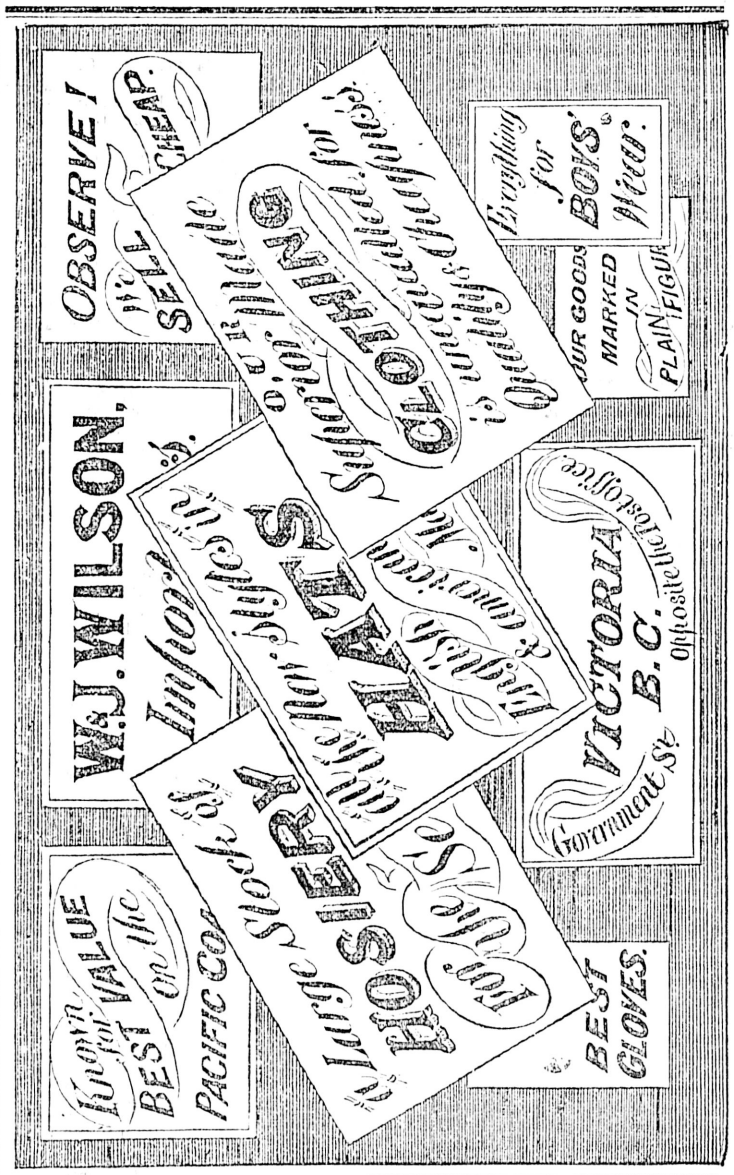

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Legislative.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, in the ensuing session for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of making and maintaining a Railway, with all proper, necessary or convenient stations, approaches, bridges, viaducts, embankments, roads, communications and other works, commencing in or near the City of Victoria and terminating at or near Esquimalt Harbor.

And to enable the Company to make such deviations and to stop up, alter, cross and divert roads, footpaths streams, watercourses and works between the aforesaid places; to purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, lands, houses and other property; to levy tolls for, or in respect of, the use of the Railway or Works, and to alter existing tolls.

The bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of The Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845; The Companies Clauses Act, 1863; The Companies Clauses Act, 1869; The Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863; The Vancouver Island Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, 1863.

Plans and sections showing the Railway and Road and the lands or houses in and through which they may be made, with a book of reference to such plans and a copy of this notice, as published in the Gazette, will, on or before the 30th Day of November next, be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Bench of Victoria and the Surveyor-General of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the Railway will be made, or in which any lands or houses proposed to be taken are situate, and a copy of this notice as so published will, on or before the same day, be lodged at the School-houses of the respective Districts.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
oc27 Solicitors for Promoters.

In the Legislative Assembly.

Session 1872, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Legislative Assembly during the session next ensuing the date of this notice, for leave to bring in a Bill to enable Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., the owners of the Wellington colliery, situated near Departure Bay, on the East coast of Vancouver Island, to acquire a strip of land sixty-six feet wide and extending from their mine to tee shore of Departure Bay aforesaid, for the purpose of building a Railway or Tramroad thereon, for the conveyance of coal from the mine to the place of shipment. It is also proposed thet the said Bill shall enable the said Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. to acquire a block of land containing five acres at the shore terminus of the said strip of land, for the erection of coal sheds, etc., for the purposes of the business of the said mine.

A diagram of the proposed Railway or Tramroad will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th November instant, with the Clerk of the Bench at Nanaimo, together with a copy of the British Columbian "Gazette" containing this notice.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor for Messrs. Dunsmuir Diggle & Co.
12th November, 1872. no20

In the Legislative Assembly.

SESSION 1872-1873.

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly, during the next ensuing session, for leave to bring in a Bill for the purpose of enabling the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviations and to take water from Prospect Lake, Beaver Lake, Swan Lake and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all necessary works for such purpose; and to cross, break open, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets, public places, bridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams and water courses; and to purchase by compulsion or otherwise any lands, houses and other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid.

And for the purpose of enabling the said Corporation to raise money by issuing debentures and levying rates, for the payment of the principal sum, interest thereon and sinking Fund, and of obtaining from the Provincial Government a guarantee at the rate not exceeding an amount to be therein stated on all monies to be expended in the construction of works therein referred to, or otherwise for the purpose of the Bill, as also for the purpose of levying tolls and charges for the supply of water and to make provisions for preventing the waste of water supplied and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto, as also to raise money by borrowing on mortgage.

The Bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863, and all or some of the clauses of the Public Works Act, 1872.

The plans and sections may now be seen at the Land Office, James' Bay.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed Works, and the Lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans, and also a copy of this notice as published in the British Columbian Gazette will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th of November instant with the Clerk of the Bench, Victoria; and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and also a copy of this notice as published in the 'Gazette' will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, at the Public School House in each District.

Dated the 9th Day of November, 1872.

HENRY CLASSON COURTNEY,
Solicitor for the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, for the purpose of the undertaking, Langley street, Victoria. no12

In the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

SESSION, 1872, 1873.

City of Victoria, Water.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a bill to incorporate a Company to be called the City of Victoria Waterworks Company, and to enable the Company to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviations and to take water from Prospect Lake, Swan Lake and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all the necessary works for such purpose, and to cross, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets, public places, ridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams and watercourses; and to purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, any lands or other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid. Also, to raise further sums of money, and to increase their capital by the creation of shares or stock, with or without preference, priority, or guarantee on payment of interest or dividend, or with other special rights and privileges, and by borrowing on mortgage or debenture, or by all or any of such means, and to enable the Company to levy tolls, rates and charges for the supply of water and to make provisions for preventing the waste of the water supplied, and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto.

The Bill will vary and extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would interfere with its objects, and will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Vancouver Island Land Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863.

And notice is herby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed works, and the lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans; and also a copy of this notice as published in the B. C. Gazette, will be deposited or public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, with the Clerk of the Bench in the City of Victoria, at his office at Bastion street, in the said City, and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and a book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be madeor maintained; and, also, a copy of this notice as published in the Gazette will be deposited for public inspection on or before the said 30th day of November, at the public school-houses in and for each district. DRAKE & JACKSON,
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